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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Serial No.: 10/525,230

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For: METHOD FOR PROTECTING A MOTOR VEHICLE COMPONENT AGAINST
MANIPULATION IN A CONTROL DEVICE, AND CONTROL DEVICE

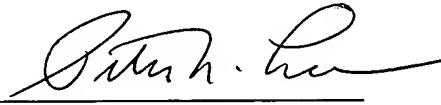
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Sir:

Applicant filed the subject patent application on February 22, 2005 and received a filing confirmation for the above-referenced application on January 30, 2006. To date, no further communication has been received. Kindly let us have the status of the above-identified application, including an indication as to when the next communication can be expected.

Respectfully submitted,

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